

ARE CONSERVING ON WHEAT FLOUR

Local Grocer States That Housewives
Are Purchasing Substitutes
Here.

HOthouse VEGETABLES ARRIVE

Tomatoes and Cucumbers Can Be Se-
cured Now—Country Eggs Take
a Slight Drop.

During the last week rice, graham
and whole wheat flour took an ad-
vance in amount of sales according
to grocers of this city. A great many
housewives are purchasing these
flours instead of wheat flour, which
the government is asking to conserve
for shipments to the allied govern-
ments.

Many of the leading grocers have
the liberty loaf on sale at their stores
and orders are being taken for it. It
has been discovered that many house-
wives are purchasing substitute flours
in the place of wheat flour and are
making the liberty loaf themselves.
The substitute flours sell practically
at the same price as wheat.

The first shipment of hot house to-
matoes and cucumbers have been
placed on the local market and there
is a considerable demand for the vege-
tables. They are of the quality and
are selling at a reasonable price. Let-
tuce and other hothouse products are
being received daily. Potatoes are
selling at the same price as a week ago.
An advance is being looked forward
to in a short time. Shipments of Cal-
ifornia grapefruit have been received
lately. The fruit is selling at a very
reasonable price.

Eggs Take Slight Drop.

The dairy quotations remain the
same. There was a slight drop
in country eggs during the past
week. Strictly fresh eggs remain at
the same quotation, while other
grades have taken a drop of a few
cents. The California emperor grapes
are on the market.

Rock Island Physician Sur- prised

"Hearing of some good results
from the use of Mayr's Wonderful
Remedy I decided to try it on a chronic
case of indigestion and gastritis I
was interested in. After the first dose
the patient was relieved of gas trouble
and was soon able to eat radishes and
most everything else he had not eaten
in years." It is a simple harmless prepa-
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mucous from the intestinal tract, and
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testinal ailments, including appendi-
citis. One dose will convince or
money refunded. Bengtson's Drug
store.—(Adv.)

All the news all the time—The
Argus.

ALEDO AT A GLANCE

Two Men Home From Army.

Neal Martin and Harry Chapin, both
of Keokuk, have been ordered home
from Camp Dodge, Des Moines, be-
cause of physical disabilities. The lo-
cal exemption board received word
yesterday from the Camp Dodge of-
ficials that the two men had been dis-
charged because of failure to pass the
physical examination.

William Frew Buried.

William B. Frew, old settler in Mer-
cer county, was buried this afternoon.
The funeral services were held at the
United Presbyterian church at 2:30
o'clock. Rev. J. B. Pollock, pastor of
the church, officiated, assisted by Dr.
T. H. McMichael, president of Mon-
mouth college. Interment was in
Aledo cemetery. Mr. Frew died in the
tri-city sanitarium in Moline Wednes-

day afternoon at 3 o'clock. His death
was caused by old age. He was 88
years, 6 months and 2 days old Wed-
nesday. He is one of the oldest set-
tlers of the county and was govern-
ment weather observer here for nearly
fifty years. He served in the capacity
of county surveyor for a number of
years. He was a member of the Unit-
ed Presbyterian church.

Rev. Sheppard in Accident.

Rev. Sheppard, formerly of Keokuk,
but now of Woodhull, and his
wife and son were the victims of an
automobile accident Wednesday about
midnight when another car crashed
into Sheppard's machine, tearing off a
front wheel. The owners of the other
machine are unknown. No one was
seriously injured. The party went on
to Woodhull yesterday in another ma-
chine.

Geneseo Game Cancelled.

The Aledo-Geneseo high school foot-
ball game scheduled for this afternoon

has been canceled. Coach Cheney
made the announcement yesterday af-
ternoon, but gave no reason for aban-
donment of the tilt. The game was
called off by Geneseo. The local squad
will remain idle this week and with
only one game left on the schedule
may disband for the season and can-
cel the game with Knoxville booked
for a week from Saturday. No other
games could be arranged and it is like-

ly that the local players will nail up
their suits for the season.

Personal Mention.

Miss Louise Roberts left Thursday
for her home in Princeton, Ill., after a
few days' visit here with her brother,
Jack Roberts.

Miss F. L. Strochlen of Santa Anna,
Cal., left Thursday for Chicago and
Raga, Mich., for a visit with relatives.

Miss Strochlen has been here for three
months visiting with Mrs. P. A. Van
Meter and Mrs. Blanche Miller.

Mrs. S. A. Boruff visited in Gales-
burg Thursday with her niece, Miss
Mildred Boruff, who is ill in the hos-
pital there.

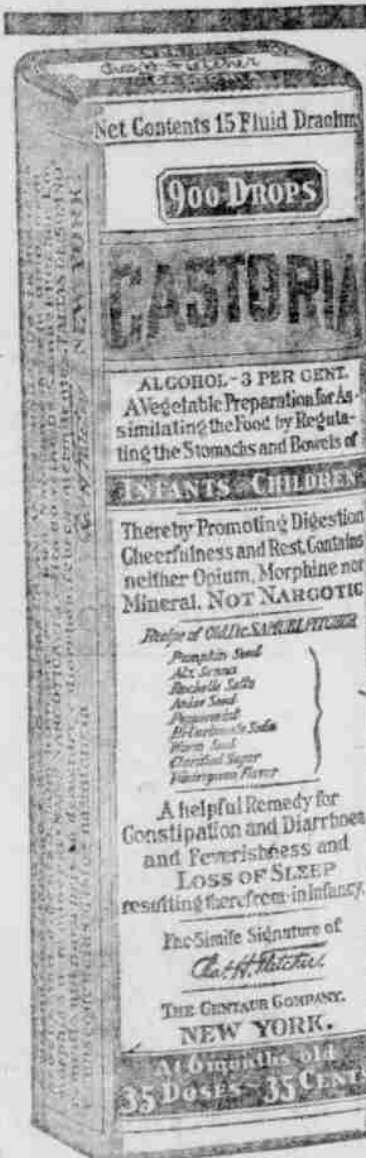
Mrs. Wilson Brock and daughter Vi-
ola went to Benton, Wis., Thursday,
called there by the illness of their
daughter and sister Mrs. Glenn Simon.

Mrs. Charles Rush went to Mon-
mouth Thursday to visit with her
mother, Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, for a
few days.

J. O. Freeman went to Colchester,
Ill., Thursday on business.

Charles Rush went to Dixon, Ill.,
Thursday morning on a short business
trip.

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